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Via ECFS  
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to  
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I live in Albany, California and have been a Sonic internet and phone customer for at least 6-7 years. At first I was a DSL customer and I now have Sonic fiber Gigabit internet and phone service at my home. The faster internet speeds and many telephone services have always been much cheaper than AT&T, Verizon and Comcast. And if there has ever been any problem it has been dealt with promptly by Sonic!

I chose Sonic, a competitive local provider, because of their lower prices for more internet and phone services. Do NOT allow price hikes that will increase the cost of internet and telephone services. I am a senior citizen living on Social Security and the prices large companies like AT&T charge are prohibitive for my budget!

Thank God for companies like Sonic!

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